

Docket No. 10/616,431-8685

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Albert Araujo, et al. Confirmation No.: 9182
Applic. No. : 10/616,431
Filed : July 9, 2003
Title : Intelligent Luggage Protection Pouch
Attention : Office of Petitions

PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED
UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b)

Sir:

The facts leading to this petition are as follows:

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Applicants received a *Notice of Abandonment* dated May 3, 2005 in the above-identified application for failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office action letter dated September 22, 2004. A copy of the *Notice of Abandonment* is enclosed.

An Office action for the above-identified application issued on September 22, 2004, setting a shortened statutory period of one (1) month for response. Response was, therefore, due on October 22, 2004. Applicants intended to further prosecute the application. The entire delay in prosecution was unintentional. Enclosed herewith is a response to the outstanding Office Action.

Applicants state that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of this grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.137 was unintentional.

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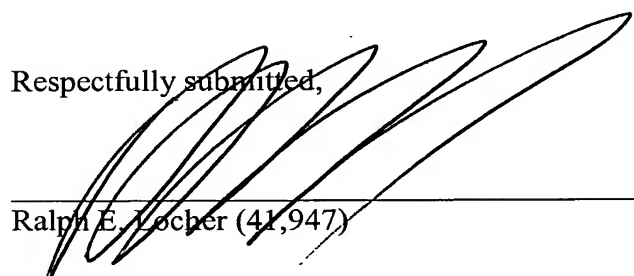
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Applicants request that the application be reinstated under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b). The petition fee in the amount of \$750.00 in accordance with Section 1.17(m) is enclosed herewith.

The purpose of this Petition for Revival is to revive the application for allowing the filing of a continuation application which presents a reduced set of claims in view of the restriction/election requirement and cost to applicant. In view of the reduced set of claims only inventor Albert Araujo is an inventor in the continuing application in which a newly executed Declaration is provided. After the entry of the continuing application, abandonment of application No. 10/616,431 is requested.

Please charge any other fees which might be due with respect to Sections 1.16 and 1.17 to the Deposit Account No. 12-1099 of Lerner and Greenberg, P.A..

Respectfully submitted,



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